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THE WORST BLIZZARD SINCE 1888

New York and Vicinity Emerging From Most Destructive Storm in Quarter of Century

MANY TELEGRAPH LINES OUT OF COMMISSION

Metropolis Still Cut Off From Communication West and South—Many "Lost" Trains Reported—Vice President Marshall a Passenger on One of Them—Ocean Liner Makes Roughest Trip in Sixteen Years—Losses in State.

New York, March 2.—With temperatures rising and fair weather promised, New York and vicinity tonight began to emerge from the blizzard which has been the most destructive in this section of the country since the memorable blizzard of 1888.

Reports from other cities showed the damage caused by wind, snow, rain and sleet to be widespread. From Cleveland on the west and Baltimore on the south to the Canadian and Nova Scotia borders, the storm has been general. In New England further damage is expected from rivers and streams swollen by melting ice and snow. In and near New York eleven persons perished yesterday and today and several fatalities were reported elsewhere.

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A MOVE FOR ECONOMY

Trains Which Do Not Pay for Their Operation Will Be Affected—Reduced Service to Take Effect March 15.

Boston, March 2.—Passenger train service on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad is to be reduced, beginning March 15. President James H. Huston, while declining to give any details of the curtailment in operation, said tonight that the Boston suburban service and the through trains to New York and other distant points would be little affected.

Will Retire 35 Trains.

It was unofficially stated that the reduction would amount to between 6 and 10 per cent, indicating retirement of about 35 trains. This will mean a revision in the schedule of many express trains which will make stops covered by power to name a dropped.

Recommended by Experts.

The change is in the interests of economy. The details to be followed are those recommended in the reports of experts who have been going over statistics to find which trains did not pay for their operation.

MURPHY VOTES FOR NEW STATE CHAIRMAN.

Tammany Leader Lines Up With Glynn's Reorganization Plan.

New York, March 2.—Thirty-three members of the democratic committee, most of whom were Tammany men, and Charles F. Murphy himself, today unanimously voted in effect to support Glynn's reorganization plan for the committee.

William Church Osborn, the governor's choice for chairman to succeed George M. Palmer, was elected without a dissenting vote. He also was vested with the power to name a committee to conduct a campaign and a finance committee for the body.

Heretofore the treasurer always has been selected by the committee. Arthur A. McLean, the present treasurer, who recently was convicted of soliciting campaign contributions, resigned today, the resignation to be effective upon the selection of his successor.

Mr. Osborn, a former New York, a former assemblyman, was chosen secretary without opposition. Mr. Osborn, Mr. Palmer and Mr. Murphy, who were elected through the close of the meeting he walked to the platform, shook hands with Mr. Osborn and said:

"Whenever you want me, send for me." Mr. Osborn thanked him, but made no other response.

OBITUARY.

Rev. Nathaniel E. Cornwall. Bridgeport, Conn., March 2.—Rev. Nathaniel E. Cornwall, rector of Christ Episcopal church, of Stratford, died suddenly tonight at the residence after he had returned from officiating at the funeral of Assessor David C. Coe, a lifelong friend. After the service he reclined on a couch and fell into a sleep from which he never awoke. He was 62 years of age.

Mr. Cornwall came to Stratford from Cleveland, and prior to his Cleveland residence had filled several pulpits in the west.

Whitman Probing Siegel Failure.

New York, March 2.—The failure of the Siegel Stores corporation, owners of two New York department stores, which was now in the hands of a receiver, was today brought before an additional grand jury by District Attorney Charles S. Whitman. It is said a cashier of the bank which suffered through the failure was examined in connection with the case, one of them a cashier of the bank which suffered through the failure.

Railroad Conductors Elect.

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Alleged Murderer Shot in Saloon.

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Sugar Men Seek Indemnity.

Washington, March 2.—A bill was served on Senator McCauley today by Attorney General Pleasant of Louisiana that the supreme court will be asked to grant a preliminary injunction to restrain the treasury department from giving Cuban sugar a 20 per cent. preferential under the new tariff law.

AMERICAN PAGE A CAUSE OF INSANITY.

Forty-five Per Cent. of Indigent Insane Are of Foreign Birth.

Washington, March 2.—Stress and strain of American life quickly develop insanity, according to a study made by the immigration committee today by medical officers from New York, Pennsylvania and Missouri. The study shows that the amendment of the pending immigration bill.

Girl Freezes in Sleight.

Hacoleson, Pa., March 2.—Ellen Sweeney, 22 years old, was found frozen to death today in a sleight, where her companion, James Barfield, had left her last night in the blizzard while he went for help.

Major Ray Loses Appeal.

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Want Immediate Independence.

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Charles C. Knowles, confidential secretary of Senator Grover, died of pneumonia, dropped dead in Brooklyn yesterday while on the way to his office in Manhattan.

Twenty-Nine Concrete Suggestions were made for changes in the Boston city charter, were considered yesterday by the legislative committee on metropolitan affairs.

Three Children Were Burned to death yesterday and a man was severely injured when a cottage was destroyed by fire in West Shoreport, La.

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